



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Rancho Del Oso Accessibility Improvements

LOCATION: Big Basin State Park **COUNTY:** Santa Cruz

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Make accessibility improvement at the Rancho Del Oso Ranger Station/Visitor Center in Big Basin State Park to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and meet requirements in the "California State Parks Accessibility Guidelines". Work will:

- Remove existing wood deck;
- Excavate approximately 12 holes each approximately 12" in diameter to rebuild the 6' wide by 38' long deck with ramp from Doug fir and composite material decking;
- Saw cut and remove a 20' by 18' section of asphalt parking; excavate to level, form and pour a new concrete parking space and stripe per ADA guidelines;
- Import approximately 6 cubic yards of aggregate to level and make minor repairs to the equestrian ramp and picnic area.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Acquisition and Development

EXEMPT STATUS: ☒ Categorical Exemption Classes: 1, 4 Sections: 15301, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the repair, maintenance and minor alteration of existing public structures and facilities involving negligible expansion of use beyond current levels and the minor alteration in the condition of land that does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees included has "Modifications of existing facilities for handicap access" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

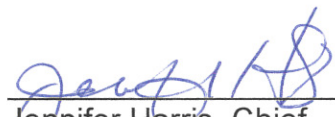
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